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*In re* Application of: Daniel J. Weyers *et al.*

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FOR MRI APPLICATIONS

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.116 AND § 1.121)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

To better highlight the patentable differences between the above-referenced invention and prior art that is cited by Examiner in an Office Action marked "FINAL" and dated February 12, 2007, Applicants hereby submit this "Amendment and Request for Reconsideration" for their above-referenced Application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and § 1.121. In submitting this Amendment, Applicants respectfully aver that the Application, as herein amended, is in a condition for allowance and notice thereof is respectfully requested. At the present time, therefore, please amend the Application as hereinafter indicated.